

Amendments to the Claims:

The following listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A liquid composition comprising: ~~at least~~
diamond fine particles purified and oxidized by heating with a purifying agent,
a dispersant, and
an amine substance having a boiling point of 50°C or higher and 300°C or
lower.
2. (Canceled)
3. (Previously Presented) The liquid composition of claim 1, wherein said
dispersant comprises water, a water soluble dispersant or a mixture of water and a water
soluble dispersant.
4. (Withdrawn) A low dielectric constant film obtained by applying said liquid
composition of claim 1.
5. (Withdrawn) An electronic component comprising said low dielectric
constant film of claim 4.
6. (Withdrawn) An abrasive comprising diamond fine particles, said abrasive
obtained from said liquid composition of claim 1.
7. (Withdrawn) A method of producing a liquid composition of diamond fine
particles, said method comprising the steps of:

heating coarse diamond fine particles in a solution comprising a purifying
agent;

washing said fine particles with water; and

dispersing said fine particles under the presence of an amine substance.

8. (Withdrawn) The method of claim 7, wherein said purifying agent comprises sulfuric acid.

9. (Currently Amended) The liquid composition of ~~claim 2~~ claim 1, wherein said dispersant comprises water, a water soluble dispersant or a mixture of water and a water soluble dispersant.

10. (Withdrawn-Currently Amended) A low dielectric constant film obtained by applying said liquid composition of ~~claim 2~~ claim 1.

11. (Withdrawn) A low dielectric constant film obtained by applying said liquid composition of claim 3.

12. (Withdrawn -Currently Amended) An abrasive comprising diamond fine particles, said abrasive obtained from said liquid composition of ~~claim 2~~ claim 1.

13. (Withdrawn) An abrasive comprising diamond fine particles, said abrasive obtained from said liquid composition of claim 3.

14. (New) The liquid composition of claim 1, wherein said purifying agent comprises a member selected from the group consisting of concentrated nitric acid, a nitride, perchloric acid, a perchloride, hydrogen peroxide, and concentrated sulfuric acid.

15. (New) The liquid composition of claim 1, wherein said amine compound is selected from the group consisting of ammonia, monoalkyl amine, dialkyl amine, trialkyl amine, N-monoalkylamino ethanol, N, N-dialkylamino ethanol, aniline, N-monoalkyl aniline, N, N-dialkyl aniline, morpholine, N-alkyl morpholine, mono(alkyl substituted phenyl)amine, diphenyl amine, triphenyl amine, benzyl amine, N-monoalkylbenzyl amine, N, N-dialkylbenzyl amine, N-alkyldiphenyl amine, triphenyl amine, pyridine, alkyl-substituted pyridine, monoethanol amine, diethanol amine, triethanol amine, and tetraalkyl ammonium hydroxide.

16. (New) The liquid composition of claim 1, wherein said diamond fine particles has a purity of 95% or higher.

17. (New) The liquid composition of claim 1, wherein raw diamond particles having a primary particle diameter of 1 nm to 50 nm are purified to obtain said diamond fine particles.